IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re of Applicant)	Art Group Unit: N/A
Takashi Sugino et al.)	Examiner: N/A
Serial No.: 10/789,795)	
Filing Date: February 25, 2004)	Attorney Docket No.: FUK-162
Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE,)	Confirmation No.: 9457
MANUFACTURING METHOD)	
FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE,)	
AND SYSTEM TO WHICH)	
SEMICONDUCTOR IS APPLIED	j	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS: Missing Parts Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination in the above-identified matter, and prior to calculation of any adjustments to the filing fee previously submitted, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following submissions:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.